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Tangier, Octob. 6

A Small Algerine, having taken an English Merchant Ship, bound for Sancta Cruz, and carried her to Sally, (to which Government the Algerine pretended to revolt) the late Ambassador from the Emperor of Morocco in England, (who happened to be there at that time on occasion of a great Fast, during which the Moors are by their Law forbid to Travel) upon notice of it, caused the said Ship to be secured, and writ to the Emperor his Master, to acquaint him with the Action of the Algerine; which the Emperor understanding, was highly offended, and sent Orders for the Restoring the Ship and Goods, and that all Embezelments should be made good upon pain of death. We have likewise an account that the Emperor having some days before received Letters from his said Ambassador, containing a Relation of his Reception, Entertainment, and Proceedings in England, he had thereupon called together his Alcaides and principal Governors, and had declared to them the high Satisfaction and Honour he had received from His Majesty of Great-Britain, and commanded them to be Witnesses for him, That as long as he lived he would study to improve the Friendship that was begun between them, and that as soon as the Ambassador should arrive at Court, he would Ratifie the Treaty he had concluded, declaring farther, That he purposed to make the said Ambassador Alcaide of Alcazar; under whose Government are all the places and Countreys from Tituan to Sally, and the Country about this City.

Francfort, Nov. 15. After several meetings, the Deputies of the Empire agreed upon an Answer to be returned to the French Ambassadors upon their late Declaration, the substance of which is, *That the Empire is very desirous to establish a firm Peace and Friendship with the most Christian King, and wishes nothing more earnestly than that the present differences may be speedily composed, but that the nature and constitution of the Empire is such, that it is impossible to bring things to a determination within a limited time, and that they hope this Consideration will prevail with his most Christian Majesty to allow the Treaty that has been begun here its free course, and not to limit it to the Term expressed in the late declaration of his Ambassadors here.* This Conclusion of the Deputies was communicated by the Imperial to the French Ambassadors, who answered, That *though they had positive Orders to leave this place after the Term was expired, unless the Proposals they made upon their first arrival here were accepted, yet they would not fail to give the King their Master an account of what they had represented to them, and that they would expect his Pleasure upon it*: And accordingly the next Morning the French Ambassadors dispatched an Express to *Paris*,

Brussels, Nov. 13. We are told that the Marquis *de Grana* has received an account from Monsieur *del Val*, his Minister at *Paris*, That there is little likelihood of his obtaining a Prolongation of the Term, and that his Excellency has thereupon sent an Express to the *Hague*, to acquaint the Spanish Envoy therewith, and to direct him to call upon the States General for their assistance in case things should come to a Rupture. Don *Antonio d'Agurto*, our *Maistre de Camp* General, being returned from visiting *Luxemburg*, *Limburg*, and the Garrisons in *Gelderland*, has made report to his Excellency of the condition he found those places in: and as for *Luxemburg*, we are informed he has assured his Excellency that it is provided with all things necessary for a long Defence; however his Excellency has resolved to add to the Garison that is at present there, the Walloon Regiment, Commanded by the Count *de Tilly*, and 300 Spaniards of *Moncade's* Terce, making together 800 Men; and they have Orders to march immediately thither, and if they cannot have passage through the Countrey, now possessed by the French, they are to go round by the way of *Trier*. Don *Antonio d'Agurto*, in his return from *Luxemburg*, saw the Electors of *Mentz*, *Trier*, and *Cologne*, whom it's said he found in a disposition to Treat with the French upon the Propositions they made many Months since at *Francfort*, and in an opinion that it was absolutely necessary at this time to establish a firm Peace between the Empire and the most Christian King.

Hague, Nov. 13. Their Highnesses the Prince and Princess of *Orange* returned hither the 11th Instant. The same day the Members of the States of *Holland* and *West-Frizeland* began to come to Town; and this day they met for the first time since their Recess. The States-General, upon the late Memorial of the Sieur *Dorp*, the *Brandenburg* Minister, concerning the Ship called the *Arms of Brandenburg*, taken on the Coast of *Guinea*, have written very earnestly to the *West-India* Company to have an account of that matter, in order to the giving a satisfactory answer to the said Minister. There is a great dispute between the Envoy of this State and the Envoy of the Elector of *Brandenburg* at the Court of *Denmark*, concerning precedency, which we hear the former has writ to the States about.

Hague, Nov. 17. We have advice that between 4 and 500 Men of the Elector of *Brandenburg's* Troops (who embarked on several light Frigats at *Gluckstadt*) have landed in *East Frizeland*, and have possessed themselves of *Greitzeil*, lying at the mouth of the River *Ems*, which his Electoral Highness declares he has done according to the obligation that lay upon him as Conservator of that Country, to secure it against the evil designs there are to bring Foreign Troops to Quarter upon it.

Paris, Nov. 14. On Monday next the Court removes from *Fontainbleau* to *Versailles*. From *Turin* we have advice, That 3000 French Horse are possessed of the Quarters assigned them by the Duke of *Savoy* in pursuance of the defensive Alliance concluded between our King and his Highness, which gives great jealousie to the *Milanese* and to the *Genoueses*. The 12th Instant the Parlement was opened here with the usual solemnity.

Plimouth, Nov 7. On Saturday last arrived here His Majesties Yacht the *Merlin*, from the Westward.

Whitehall,